## 2013 No. 924

## ROAD TRAFFIC

The A12 Trunk Road (Junction 23 to 24 Kelvedon and Junction 26 Eight Ash Green, Colchester, Essex) Westbound (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013

*Made - - - - 25th February 2013* 

Coming into force - - 4th March 2013

WHEREAS the Secretary of State for Transport, being the traffic authority for the A12 Trunk Road ("the A12"), is satisfied that traffic on lengths of that road in the County of Essex should be prohibited because works are proposed to be executed thereon:

NOW, THEREFORE, the Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14(1)(a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984(a) hereby makes the following Order:-

**1.** This Order may be cited as the A12 Trunk Road (Junction 23 to 24 Kelvedon and Junction 26 Eight Ash Green, Colchester, Essex) Westbound (Temporary Prohibition of Traffic) Order 2013 and shall come into force on 4th March 2013.

## 2. In this Order -

"tip of the nosing" means, as indicated by the markings on the carriageway, the first point where an entry slip road joins, or the last point where an exit slip road leaves, the carriageway of the trunk road;

"the first length of trunk road" means the westbound carriageway of the A12 between the tips of the nosings of the exit and entry slip roads at Junction 26 Eight Ash Green Interchange;

"the second length of trunk road" means the westbound carriageway of the A12 between the tips of the nosings of the exit slip road leading to the B1024 Feering Hill at Junction 24 Kelvedon North Interchange and the entry slip road from the B1024 London Road at Junction 23 Kelvedon South Interchange;

"works" mean the installation of replacement incident detection (MIDAS) loops in the carriageway of the trunk road;

"a first works period" means a period of 7 hours starting at 22.00 hours on Monday 11th March 2013 or on any subsequent day until the works to the first length of trunk road have been completed;

"a second works period" means a period of 7 hours starting at 22.00 hours on Wednesday 27th March 2013 or on any subsequent day until the works to the second length of trunk road have been completed;

<sup>(</sup>a) 1984 c.27; a new section 14 was substituted by the Road Traffic (Temporary Restrictions) Act 199 (c.26), section 1(1) and Schedule 1.

and a reference to an article followed by a number is a reference to the article in this Order which bears that number.

- **3.** Subject as mentioned in article 4 no person shall cause or permit any vehicle to enter or proceed in -
  - (a) the first length of trunk road, during a first works period, or
  - (b) the second length of trunk road, during a second works period.
- **4.** The provisions of article 3 shall apply only during such times and to such extent as shall, from time to time, be indicated by traffic signs and shall not apply to a vehicle
  - (a) being used for or in connection with the works or for winter maintenance,
  - (b) being used for, police, fire and rescue authority, ambulance or traffic officer purposes, or
  - (c) proceeding at the direction, or with the permission, of a police constable, or a traffic officer in uniform.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Transport

Woodlands, Manton Lane, Bedford, MK41 7LW 25th February 2013

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